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APPLICANT: Kevin Mark McFarland
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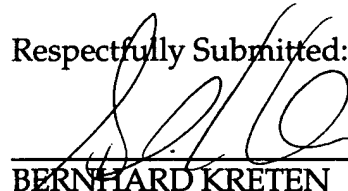
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Washington, DC 20231

REQUEST FOR PERSONAL INTERVIEW

Undersigned hereby specifically requests that the Examiner consider and suggest convenient times at which a personal interview with the Examiner may be conducted with undersigned to expedite resolution of this case. At that time any remaining details can be discussed which assures this case is suitable for passage to issue.

Dated: September 11, 2002

Respectfully Submitted:


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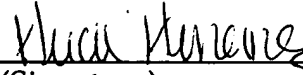
1. An Amendment (responsive to the Office Action dated March 12, 2002);
2. An Extension of Time (original and one copy);
3. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) (original and one copy);
4. A Request for Personal Interview;
5. A Check in the Amount of \$775.00; and
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